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Raising Funds Nome Basketball Team To Carnival

Dimond Introduces Bill Rebuild Nome C. G. Station

Eight States Felt Earth Tremors In Middlewest

(By The Associated Press)
UNDATED, March 9, — Eight states, and part of Canada were shaken early Tuesday by earth tremors and shocks. Each state reported along minor damage, although the shocks were sufficient to awaken persons by rattling of windows and shaking of furniture.

Reverent Joseph S. Joliet department head of seismology at the John Carroll University in Cleveland said the tremors were felt in most midwestern states, and were "of about the same magnitude as last week's, perhaps a little greater in intensity. The source was the same, an upthrusting section of rock crust in the old glacial region in northwestern Ohio, where the tremors lasted for eight minutes and were clearly recorded."

Southwestern Ohio and northern Kentucky felt two pronounced shocks.

Huntington, West Virginia, Milwaukee, Columbus Chicago Cincinnati Louisville and Detroit reported buildings were shaken, but not dangerously.

Many central Indiana cities and towns felt distinct shocks, which lasted a few seconds.

Lafayette, Indiana recorded two successive tremors. Berkeley, California felt shocks which rocked beds. London, Ontario felt minor shocks.

Father A. R. Schmidt of the Physics Department of Loyola University in Chicago said the California quake was not the same which was felt in the middlewest.

Grand Jury Now Session and Will Investigate Here

The Grand Jury was duly impaneled this morning before Judge J H S Morison of the District Court, Ed Johnson declared foreman, and immediately retired to commence their investigations.

Following is the jury as impaneled.

Ed Johnson, Foreman
John Englen
Emily Boucher
William Davis
Jules Gunderson
J E Jensen
George Reimer
Charles Swanson

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Nome U. S. C. G.

(By The Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, March 9, — Delegate Dimond said today he will Congress to appropriate \$142,000 to rebuild the U. S. Coast Guard Station at Nome Alaska which was destroyed in the 1934 fire.

He said the "maintenance of the station in the past has resulted in the saving of many lives and property valued at hundreds of thousands of dollars."

Council Heard Appeals Meeting last Night

The regular meeting of the Nome city council last evening listened to an appeal for \$100 to help finance a basketball team to be sent to Fairbanks tomorrow or the next day. After considerable discussion, and evident approval from several sources a motion to appropriate the money was lost when finance chairman Eddie Gross and Duffy O'Connor voted no, while councilmen Rude Hagen and Cavey voted yes. Four votes for approval were necessary but the motion failed.

A. Polet and Chas. D. Jones appeared before the council with an offer of \$1500 for the old school building, the offer being made by the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, Nome lodge.

Discussion occupied more than an hour on the subject and action was finally agreed to place a proposal of the kind suggested on the ballot at the regular municipal and school board election in April.

Other matters of routine business were disposed of and another comment made that city finances should be carefully held in check, in view of the payments due on the city improvement bonds June 1st.

TO MY FRIENDS!

I wish to express my heartfelt appreciation to the many friends and supporters who so loyally and faithfully backed me in my campaign for the title of "Miss Nome". I will sincerely represent Nome to the very best of my ability, as your Queen during the Ice Carnival and my stay in Fairbanks. Gratefully,
Marguerite Leo

Buy them by the bundle. Use them for starting fires. For Sale At the Nome Nugget.

FUND TO SEND TEAM NOME TO FAIRBANKS APPEARS GOING OVER

The drive to secure financial backing to send a Nome basketball team of seven men to the Fairbanks Ice Carnival to compete with other Alaskan cities, ran into a snag last night when the Council declined to vote a hundred dollars to start the ball rolling.

However, a popular subscription was immediately started and each councilman donated privately toward the fund.

More than a hundred and fifty dollars was subscribed last evening through public donations, and this morning even more encouraging news was announced when it became known that the total had been swelled to nearly \$250. The campaign continued this afternoon, and little doubt remains that the mark of \$450 to finance the transportation, will be reached.

The Kennel Club is being approached this evening to donate a hundred dollars, to put the fund over.

Everyone will admit that inter-

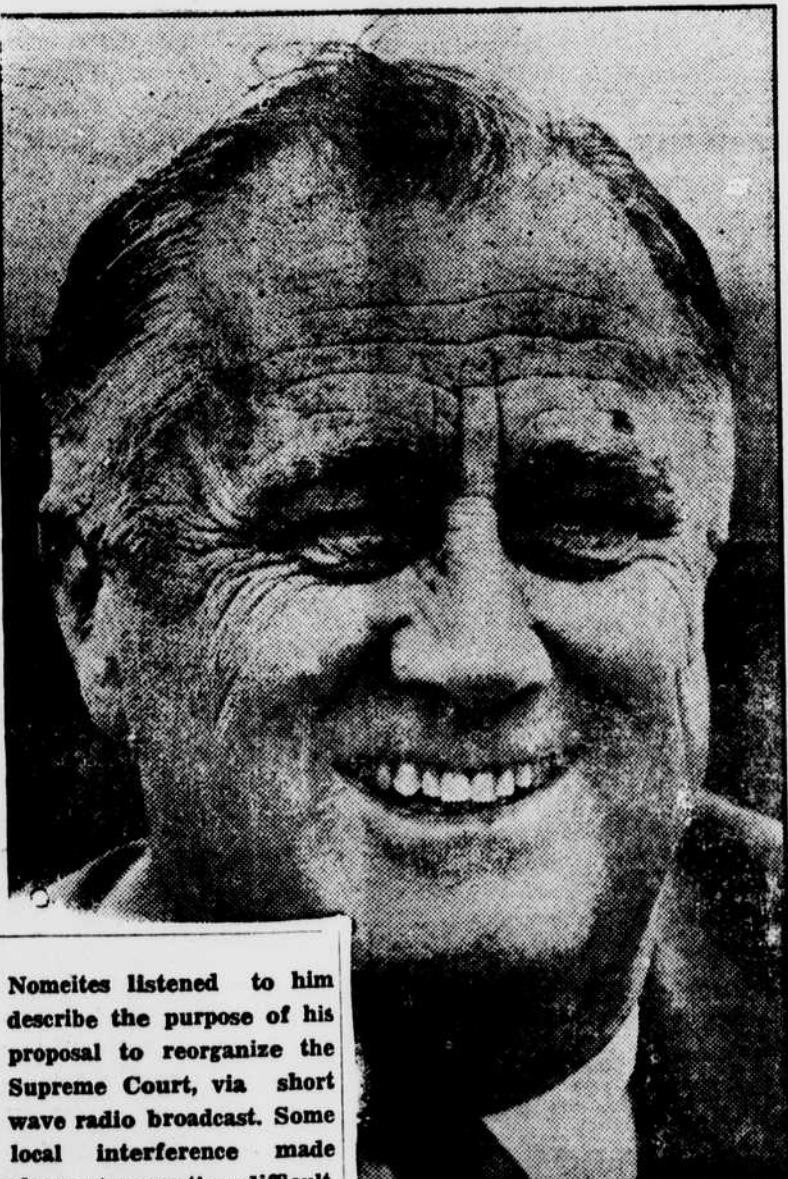
city goodwill is a fine policy for any town to get behind and push.

Nome, for some years past, has been unable to provide athletic entertainment due to the absence of a public auditorium or gym. Athletic spirit and interest was revived this winter with the base ball series. No team from Nome has competed with other Alaskan towns for many years, and Nome has indirectly suffered from lack of contact.

Here is an opportunity to re-instate Nome, and bring it into harmony with other cities of the Territory.

The expense is not prohibitory. Fairbanks has guaranteed \$300, and that will cover the team's expenses while they are in the interior city, and the money raised will go for transportation and remain right in town. So let's put it over with a bang. Already sizeable donations have been received, testifying to the generosity and interest of public spirited people of Nome. It will be money well spent. Do your bit!

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT



Nomeites listened to him describe the purpose of his proposal to reorganize the Supreme Court, via short wave radio broadcast. Some local interference made clear-cut reception difficult.

Vessel Was Sunk

(By The Associated Press)
LONDON, March 9, — The Spanish government sought to learn the fate of the crew and passengers aboard the freighter Mar Cantabrico which was sent to the bottom of the Bay of Biscay this morning by an insurgent cruiser.

It is believed in some quarters that they were all picked up by the cruiser. The freighter sailed from New York with war supplies for the Spanish government, only a few hours before congress passed the bill prohibiting munitions shipments to Spain.

British warships went into action when the sunken vessel was at first thought to be a British ship.

Seattle Voting On Street Railway

(By The Associated Press)
SEATTLE, March 9, — Voters will ballot today on the twelve million, five hundred thousand dollar municipal railway rehabilitation plan, including the installation of trackless trolleys.

They will also elect three councilmen.

Mayor John Dore charged the plan is a "big steal", although the city council favors the idea.

Roosevelt Slams Court System In His Fireside Chat

(By The Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 9, —Leading allies expect President Roosevelt to contend in his nationwide radio talk tonight, that his court reorganization program is the only practical means to meet the grave national crisis.

Senate hearings on the proposal begin tomorrow.

The President was reported to be optimistic over the fate of his plan, and will resume tonight where he left off last week, in his Victory Dinner address.

After the broadcast he will go to Warm Springs, Georgia for a vacation.

The first formal reply to tonight's speech will be made tomorrow night by Senator Wheeler in Chicago, here he will participate in a debate with James M. Landis, chairman of the securities commission.

Wheeler will also start opposition hearings next Monday.

Largest Money Bill In History Up for Passage

(Special to the Nugget)
JUNEAU, March 9, — Calling for an appropriation of three million, one hundred and eighty six thousand dollars for expenses of running the territory during the next two years, the largest in history, the House after working all Sunday afternoon, passed the measure Monday morning and sent it to the senate for action.

In its present form the measure calls for \$622,500 more than for the last biennium.

The largest single appropriation is for schools—\$1,116,200. This is aside from that for the Commissioner of Education which calls for thirty four thousand, eight hundred dollars, and also aside from the University of Alaska—\$219,000, plus \$195,000, in a separate bill for new buildings at the University.

Road construction was boosted from two hundred thousand to four hundred thousand dollars but this may be eliminated, as the senate passed the Scott bill today for four hundred thousand dollars for roads for the biennium.

The House passed the Rivers liquor bill to the third reading with final action expected either late today or tomorrow.

Next Thursday will be the last day of the regular session of the Legislature.

The special session begins on March 19th.

5,000 Soldiers Are Pushing Madrid

(By The Associated Press)
MADRID, March 9, — Five thousand insurgent soldiers using all types of modern war equipment, lunged at government position in northern Guadalajara province, trying to beat a new path to Madrid, sixty miles to the southwest.

Other insurgent forces are approaching Madrid from the opposite side.

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